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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Case Docket No. 7489

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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Panandiker et al. Confirmation No. 7986

Serial No.: 09/914,524 Group Art Unit: 1751

Date Filed: August 29, 2001 Examiner: Brian P. Mruk

Title: Detergent Composition with Certain Cationically Charged Dye Maintenance Polymers

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Application No. : 09/914,524
 Applicant(s) : Rajans Keshav Panadiker, et al.
 Filed : August 29, 2001
 Title : LAUNDRY DETERGENT COMPOSITION WITH CERTAIN CATIONICALLY CHARGED DYE MAINTENANCE POLYMERS
 TC/A.U. : 1751
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of June 2, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.